CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

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1 A method for increasing player interest in games of chance, comprising:

providing a game machine configured to enable a player to play a game whose outcome is based on chance in exchange for a wager and further comprising a printer operable disposed therein;

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providing a lottery ticket purchasing pool in said game machine; funding said lottery ticket purchasing pool on an incrementally increasing

basis;

issuing a lottery ticket from said printer when said lottery ticket purchasing pool reaches a predetermined value and when a game play finishes.

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